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**Robert James Timlin**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1932  
Education: Georgetown 1954 BA, 1959 JD, 1964 LLM  
Began Service: October 18, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Instructor, California Southern Law School (1976-1977)

**Government:** Special Attorney, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1961-1964); Assistant United States Attorney, Central District of California, United States Department of Justice (1964-1966); City Attorney, State of California (1967-1976)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Central District of California (1971-1975); Judge, Western Riverside Municipal Court (1976-1980); Judge, California Superior Court (1980-1990); Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, 4th Appellate District, Division Two (1990-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Douglas, Obeir & Campbell (1960-1961); Associate, Hennigan, Ryneal & Butterwick (1966-1967); Partner, Shareholder and Officer, Hunt, Palladino & Timlin (1970-1974); Private Practice (1974-1976)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1955-1957)

**Current Memberships:** California Judges Association

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**Stephen J. Hillman**

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: UC Berkeley 1972 BA; U Washington 1975 JD  
Began Service: July 16, 1992  
Term Expires: July 15, 2010

**Government:** Deputy Federal Public Defender, State of California (1978-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Berman & Clark (1986-1992)

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**Charles F. Eick**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
Education: Tulane 1975 BA; Texas 1978 JD  
Began Service: 1988

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Mitchell Silberberg & Knupp LLP (1978-1988)

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**Carolyn Turchin**

Magistrate Judge

Education: UC Berkeley 1967 BA; Loyola Marymount 1978 JD  
Began Service: September 3, 1991  
Term Expires: September 3, 2015

**Government:** Deputy City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Santa Monica, California (1979-1980); Assistant United States Attorney, Central District of California, United States Department of Justice (1980-1991)

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**Andrew J. Wistrich**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: UC Berkeley 1972 AB, 1973 AB; Chicago 1976 JD  
Began Service: March 30, 1994  
Term Expires: April 2010  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Charles Clark, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1976-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, McCutchen Doyle Brown & Enersen (1978-1983); Partner, Brown & Bain, P.A. (1985-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute

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**Robert N. Block**  
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: 1995

**Judicial:** Chief Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Central District of California (2000-2005)

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**Rosalyn M. Chapman**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Michigan 1964 BA; Boalt Hall 1967 JD  
Began Service: March 1, 1995  
Term Expires: March 1, 2011

**Academic:** Lecturer, School of Law, University of California, Los Angeles (1972-1973); City of Los Angeles Civil Service Commission; Arbitrator, Los Angeles Superior Court

**Government:** Arbitrator, American Arbitration Association; Arbitrator, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service

**Judicial:** Administrative Law Judge, Office of Administrative Hearings, State of California (1977-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Associate Director, Western Center on Law & Poverty (1969-1972); Associate Director, Western Center on Law & Poverty (1973-1976)

**Current Memberships:** Los Angeles County Bar Association; State Bar of California

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**Carla M. Woehrle**

Magistrate Judge

Began Service: June 10, 1996  
Term Expires: June 2012

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**Arthur Nakazato**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Temple 1978 JD  
Began Service: August 13, 1996  
Term Expires: August 2012

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1978-1985); Kircher & Nakazato (1985-1996)

**Current Memberships:** Orange County Chapter, Federal Bar Association

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**Ralph Zarefsky**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Stanford 1976 JD  
Began Service: July 30, 1997  
Term Expires: July 29, 2013  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Lawrence T. Lydick, United States District Court for the Central District of California (1976-1978)

**Judicial:** Chief Magistrate Judge, Chambers of Chief Magistrate Judge Ralph Zarefsky, United States District Court for the Central District of California

**Legal Practice:** Associate, McCutchen, Black, Verleger & Shea (1978-1984); Partner, Baker & Hostetler LLP and its predecessors (1984-1997)

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**Margaret A. Nagle**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Boston Col 1972 AB; Columbia 1975 JD  
Began Service: 1997  
Term Expires: July 2013

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Goodwin, Proctor & Hoar (1975-1978); Associate, Stroock & Stroock & Lavan (1978-1983); Partner, Stroock & Stroock & Lavan (1984-1997)

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